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SUBJECT: PRC VIEW OF HANOI

1. QUAI DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR ASIA, DUZER, TOLD EMBOFF THAT NCNA DIRECTOR IN PARIS, CH'EN CHI, HAD RECENTLY DISCUSSED INDOCHINA WITH HIM AND HAD REMARKED THAT THE NEW GOVERNMENT IN CAMBODIA WAS "MORE NON-ALIGNED" THAN THE OTHERS. WHEN QUERIED, CH'EN NOTED THAT THE DRV WAS REALLY "ALIGNED."

2. DUZER COMMENTED THAT IT APPEARED TO FRENCH THAT CH'EN WAS OF RANK EQUIVALENT TO THAT OF PRC AMBASSADOR TSENG T'AO, AND THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME SUCH A HIGH RANKING OFFICIAL HAD DIRECTLY DISCUSSED VIETNAM WITH GOF HERE IN SUCH CRITICAL TERMS. QUAI WAS NOT SURPRISED AT PRC VIEW OF HANOI, ONLY THAT IT SHOULD BE OPENLY EXPRESSED TO FOREIGNERS.
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